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HYDRO SIZE START END **REGION TYPE** NAME POLLUTANT/STRESSOR* SOURCE **PRIORITY** UNIT UNIT AFFECTED DATE DATE **BRIDGEPORT RES** 630.300 **Nutrients** 3000 Hiah Acres Livestock grazing in wetlands upgradient of reservoir. TMDLs to be addressed during years 6-13 of the next 13 years of the TMDL development process, resources permitting. **Agriculture** Sedimentation/Siltation High 3000 Acres Watershed disturbance including livestock grazing. TMDLs to be addressed during years 6-13 of the next 13 years of the TMDL development processs, resources permitting. Source Unknown **CROWLEY LAKE** 603.100 Hiah 5280 Arsenic Acres To be addressed as part of Watershed Management Initiative (WMI) for upper watershed, beginning with Years 3-5 of WMI program, if resources permit. **Natural Sources Nutrients** High 5280 Acres Source Unknown **DONNER LAKE** 635.200 **Priority Organics** Low 960 Acres PCBs in fish and sediment exceed Maximum Tissue Residue Level criteria; unknown nonpoint sources. Phase I Truckee River sediment TMDL projected for completion in 1999. Additional monitoring/study necessary to determine sources/cleanup potential for priority organics. TMDLs for organics to be addressed during years 6-13 of the next 13 years of the TMDL development process, resources permitting. Source Unknown **EAGLE LAKE (2)** 637.300 6 Org. enrichment/Low D.O. High 25000 Acres Nutrients from wastewater disposal to land, livestock grazing, other watershed disturbance. Problems being addressed through sewering of septic system development and RWQCB's ongoing nonpoint source program. TMDLs to be addressed during years 6-13 of the next 13 years of the TMDL development process, resources permittina. Range Land Land Development Septage Disposal **Nonpoint Source GRANT LAKE** 601.000 Arsenic High 1095 Acres 0198 0199 Targeted for "easy" (already funded) TMDL documentation that arsenic from natural sources. **Natural Sources**

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Highway Maintenance And Runoff

Nonpoint Source

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6	W	TOP SPRING	637.200								
				Radiation		Medium	1	Acres	0198	0199	
				Natural source (spring was developed as domestic water source for USFS ranger station and abandoned after testing showed MCL exceedance.) Natural impairment to be documented as "easy" (already funded) TMDL using 1998 Section 104/106 grant funds.							
				Natural Sources							
6	W	WENDEL HOT SPRINGS	637.200								
				Metals		Medium	1	Acres	0198	0199	
				Natural geothermal spring developed for energy. Metals source to be documented as natural for "easy" (already funded) TMDL using 1998 Section 104/106 grant funds.							
			Natural Sources								

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REGION TYPE NAME HYDRO UNIT POLLUTANT/STRESSOR* SOURCE PRIORITY AFFECTED UNIT DATE DATE

ABBREVIATIONS

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REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARDS

- North Coast
- 2 San Francisco Bay
- 3 Central Coast
- 4 Los Angeles
- 5 Central Valley
- 6 Lahontan
- 7 Colorado River Basin
- 8 Santa Ana
- 9 San Diego

WATER BODY TYPE

B = BAYS AND HARBORS I = LAKES / RESERVOIRS S = SALINE LAKES
C = COASTAL SHORELINES O = OCEAN AND OPEN BAYS T = WETLANDS TIDAL

E = ESTUARIES R = RIVERS/STREAMS W= WETLANDS FRESHWATER

G = GROUND WATER

HYDRO UNIT

"Hydro Unit" is the State Water Resources Control Board hydrological subunit area.

START AND END DATES

Start and End Dates are shown as the year or as month/year.

"GROUP A" or "CHEM A" PESTICIDES

aldrin, dieldrin, chlordane, endrin, heptachlor, heptachlor epoxide, hexachlorocyclohexane (including lindane), endosulfan, and toxaphene

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